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In re Application of:)

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) Group Art Unit: 2812

Application No.: 09/658,861 ✓)

) Examiner: Nguyen, H.

Filed: September 8, 2000 ✓)

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
THE SAME ✓)

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action of January 23, 2003, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

§ 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph bridging pages 1-2 with the following:

In a deposition system shown in FIG. 10, a microwave of 2.45 GHz is first
supplied into a plasma producing chamber 801a from a high-frequency power supply
part 802 via a waveguide 802a. At this time, a magnetic field of 875 gaussses is applied

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